



GEORGIA STATE BOARD *of the*
CERTIFICATION *of* LIBRARIANS

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Rules Hearing
June 20, 2017

The Georgia State Board of the Certification of Librarians held a regular Board Meeting by teleconference on Tuesday, June 20, 2017 at the Professional Licensing Boards, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217.

MEMBERS PRESENT

- Dr. Linda Most, Chairperson
- Susan Whittle, Vice Chairperson
- Lillie Crowe
- Judy Dyer
- Julia Skinner

MEMBERS ABSENT

- Julie Walker

STAFF PRESENT

- Chris Jones, Executive Director
- Sara Nasworthy Board Support Specialist
- Andrew Turnage, State Director
- Janet Wray, Sr. Assistant Attorney General

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Susan Whittle made a motion, Lillie Crowe seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the June 20, 2017 Agenda.

MINUTES

The Board reviewed the Minutes from the April 25, 2017 Proposed Rules Hearing, Lillie Crowe motioned, Susan Whittle seconded, and the Board voted unanimously to approve the minutes with corrections.

PROPOSED RULE

The Board reviewed the Proposed Rule for applications submitted by Military Service Members, Transitioning Service Members, and their spouses (See Attachment 1):

At the conclusion of the discussion Susan Whittle made a motion, Lillie Crowe seconded, and the Board unanimously voted to adopt the Rule with the recommended changes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION MINUTES

There were no Executive Session Minutes to be approved.

The meeting adjourned at 12:01 p.m.

**The next scheduled meeting of the Georgia State Board of the Certification
of Librarians is:**

**Tuesday, September 19, 2017
Professional Licensing Boards Division
237 Coliseum Drive
Macon, Georgia 31217**

Minutes recorded by:

Sara Nasworthy, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Chris Jones, Executive Director

Dr. Linda Most

Dr. Linda Most, Board Chair

Chris Jones

Chris Jones, Executive Director

These minutes were approved on: **September 19, 2017**

ATTACHMENT 1

320-3-.02 Application by Military or Transitioning Services Members and Spouse

Beginning July 1, 2017 for applicants of good moral character that can provide proof of active duty as a National Guard or U.S. Military service member, a transitioning service member, or a member on separation leave within 24 months of retirement or 12 months of separation, or provide proof that the applicant is a spouse of these service members, the Board may issue a registration, license or certification as follows:

- (a) Applicants identifying themselves as such must provide documentation to demonstrate their status to the Board;
- (b) the applicant obtained a specialty, certification, training, or experience in the military while a service member or spouse which substantially meets or exceeds the requirements to obtain a license in this state;
- (c) Complete applications from Military and Transitioning Service Members or their Spouse will be given priority processing;
- (d) An application for Grade 2 Certification under this section may be issued with Board approval if the applicant provides documentation of the equivalent of 12 semester hours of Library Science or at least one year of equivalent librarian work experience at a military base, or at an academic or public library.